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BATAILLE & BIRLY, now absent for the purpose of purchasing goods, inform the public that their store for sale and retail, is removed, will be transferred to No. 46 corner of Gravoise street. jy3

NOTICE.—Messrs. North & Brothers are absent authorized to receive letters for, or attend to any mercantile business of the undersigned, during the absence of the New Orleans Packet, Mr H North.

New Orleans, 24th June, 1843. jy3—6m

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HARROD, DARLING & Co, Cooperage and Forwarding Merchants, And Agents of the *Boston and New Orleans Regular Line of Packets,* No. 69 Common street, New Orleans.

HEWITT, HERAN & CO. Commission Merchants, No. 65 Camp street, New Orleans.

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James Lees.

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NORCROSS & FOSDICK, *Commission & Forwarding Merchants,* Agents for the Boston Sugar Refinery.

M A NORCROSS, New Orleans, Sept. 1, 1840. WM S FOSDICK, 69 Gravier st.

PEET & MORTON, (FORMERLY PEET AND NORTH), WHOLESALE DRY GOODS DEALERS, *Chartres Street, New-Orleans.*

ISAAC BRIDGE, COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT, And Agent for the sale of Robinson & Nichols's Improved Salamander Iron Safes, and Amos Stevens' Patent Balances, 76 Magazine street.

DAVID MORGAN & CO. COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 81 Canal street, New Orleans.

A. DURAND will be ready by the middle of June next, with a new and extensive assortment of dour, grain, &c. &c. for sale by GEO E CLIFFORD, my6 6m 47 Poydras st

MADEIRA—10 bris imitation Madeira, for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

WINE—10 bris port wine for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

BRANDY—A few bris Peach brandy, for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

GIN—American gin for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

COFFEE—310 sacks Havana coffee, for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

CIGARS—20,000 Havana cigars, for sale by jy10 A DURAND, 7 Conti st

BOOTS—Men's thick, kip and seal Boots, for sale by jy10 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine st

FLOUR—100 bris low to high grades for sale by jy10 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

CORN—45 sacks landing and for sale by jy10 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

SHOT—3 kegs assorted shot received in order and for sale by jy10 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

HATS—A large assortment of Russia and silk hats, for sale by jy10 FROST & Co, 10 Magazine st

SALERATUS—50 kegs in store for sale by jy10 J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

LARD—10 bris white lard in store, for sale by jy10 J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

LARD—6 bris in store, for sale by jy10 J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

BUTTER—60 kegs fresh butter, landing, and for sale by jy10 J R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st

RICE—60 tcs fresh rice, for sale by jy10 WOOD & SIMMONS, 70 Magazine st

LARD—200 kegs Prime Lard, for sale by jy9 J A MERRITT & Co, 83 Camp st

COPPER NAILS—12 kegs copper nails, in store, for sale by jy9 HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

PRIME PORK in store and for sale by jy9 HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

BEEF ROUND—At inspection, for sale by jy9 HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

BACON—20 casks hams and sides for sale by jy9 HULLIN & WOODRUFF, 60 Camp st

CASTOR OIL—5 bris No 1 for sale by jy7 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

BALE ROPE—100 coils Small rope for sale by jy7 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

WINE—16 hds wine, superior quality, for sale by jy7 C DOANE & Co 69 Poydras st

CANVASSED HAMS—A few cases superior to sale by jy7 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

TWINE—*A superior article,* for sale by jy7 GEO. GREEN & BRO. 82 Gravier st

COTTON GINS—Lowry's improved cotton gins, for sale by jy7 GEO. GREEN & BRO. 82 Gravier st

LAGUAYRA AND RIO COFFEE for sale by jy7 GEO GREEN & BRO. 82 Gravier st

ROPE for whaling jy7 GEO GREENE BRO, 69 Gravier st

COOPAGE—Manilla cordage for sale by jy7 GEO GREEN & BRO. 82 Gravier st

CORDAGE—Manilla rope, assorted sizes, in store and for sale by jy7 G. & G. GREENE BRO. 69 Gravier st

SWISS ABSINTH—50 cases Swiss absinth for sale by jy6 ROBERT & MILLARD, 56 Chartres st

BUCKLES—Shoe and knee buckles, in store and for sale by jy6 WM PREHN & Co, 56 Customhouse st

RIO COFFEE in store, and for sale by jy6 HUBBELL & PRICE, 24 Old Levee st

TOBACCO—30 boxes low juice tobacco, in store, and for sale by jy6 C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st

BEANS—40 bris white beans in store and for sale by jy6 PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

SUGAR—10 hhds cane sugar of inspection, for sale by jy6 PRICE & FROST, 21 Poydras st

DUBLOONS—50 squares doubloons, for sale by jy6 MERLE, BEVILLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

TIN PLATES—200 boxes Penn's tin plates, for sale by jy6 O H MIERSEGAES, 24 Old Levee st

OAKUM—300 bales Russia oakum, for sale by jy6 O H MIERSEGAES, 24 Old Levee st

PORK—3,0 bris mess, soft mess and superior, for sale by jy6 HARTWELL & KIDDER, 44 Poydras st

NAILS—200 casks 8 and 10 dy nails, for sale by jy6 O H MIERSEGAES, 24 Old Levee

BOTTLES—400 baskets White wine bottles for sale by jy6 O H MIERSEGAES, 24 Old Levee

FAMILY PORK in half bbls, for sale by jy6 HARTWELL & KIDDER, 44 Poydras st

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WHISKEY—50 bris Rectified, in store and for sale by jy6 E TOUSSAINT & ROGERT, 70 Magazine st

Steam Packets.

FOR MOBILE—And all intermediate Warehouse Ports.—The public tri-weekly steamboat MISTRO, J J Gerow, master

The M C Batre, Pilot—will leave the Levee and the Rail road every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday morning after the arrival of the cars, touching at the Bay of St. Louis. Pass christian and Biloxi; returning will leave Mobile every Wednesday and Friday morning at 9 o'clock, and every Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, Fast Christian at 6. Bay St. Louis 8 o'clock, thus avoiding all night travel except on Sunday evenings

The Branch has a fine airy upper cabin, all state rooms and dining only a few steps. No pains will be spared to give satisfaction to the travelling public

N. B. The Bristol will exchange to Pascagoula every Saturday trip. GUNDOLY & WILLIAMS, agts. jy11 2w 47 Poydras st

PASSENGER AND STEAMER ECLIPSE, capt J W Gosler, for St Louis and intermediate ports.—This splendid and fast running steamer will arrive on her next trip the 23d inst. and have immediate dispatch for the above and intermediate ports. For freight or passage having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to JNO R SHAW & Co, 24 Poydras st jy11 24 Poydras st

A lithographic view of the boat and plan of the cabin may be seen and state rooms engaged on application as above.

FOR ST. LOUIS—The splendid passenger steamer JULIA CHAUTAU-QUA, Walter Gray, master, will leave on Saturday, the 29th, at 10 o'clock p.m. For freight or passage apply on board or to DOANE & CO Poydras st jy11

UNITED STATES MAIL FOR BAYOU SARA. The steamer BRILLIANT is obliged for a few weeks, to be regularly employed in the Bayou Sara trade, until the steamer DE SOTO will take her place and leave as usual on Sunday and Wednesday, at 5 o'clock p.m.

The DE SOTO is now ready to receive freight, first of Consignee, for which or passage, apply on board to Capt. Jesse Hoff, or to W H AVERY, 89 Gravier st jy 1-6

TRAMER LOUISA FOR ST. LOUIS —The fine fast running steamer LOUISA, Capt. Jas. Conway, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will leave on Tuesday, the 11th inst. at 6 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st jy11

New Orleans and St Louis passenger packet ALBATROSS, J C Dozier, master

FOR ST LOUIS and intermediate ports.

This splendid and fast running steamer is now ready to receive freight and will leave for the above ports on Wednesday the 12th July next, at 6 o'clock P M. For freight or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations apply on board, opposite Poydras street, or to JOHN R SHAW & Co, Agents, jy11 24 Poydras st

STEAMER BEN FRANKLIN FOR ST LOUIS.—The handsome fast running steamer BEN FRANLIN, Casey, master will leave for the above port on Wednesday the 12th inst. at 6 o'clock, P. M. For freight or passage having commodious state rooms, apply on board at Long wharf, or to C DOANE & Co, 69 Poydras st jy10

FOR THE PARISH OF PLAQUEMINE AND BAYOU LAFOURCHE.

The GOV. WELL, Captain Augustus Leblanc, will leave for the above ports every Wednesday at 10 o'clock, A M For freight or passage apply on board, opposite St Louis street, or to JACQUES LAROSE, 71 Old Levee

N. B.—Mr. Jacques Larose is the only person authorized from Mr Martin Joubaud as to the said Interest in the Gov. Well, all intentions remain alone charged with the management of said Boat. jy11

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

Semi-weekly packet for the Coast—DONALDSONVILLE PACKET—PLAQUEMINE PACKET—BAYOU LAFOURCHE PACKET—TERLOU and BAYOU SARA—The splendid double engine steamer BRILLIANT, Capt Hall, will leave New Orleans for the above ports on Wednesday and Sunday, at 10 o'clock, A M, and Bayou Sara every Monday and Thursday at 10 o'clock, A M, and arrive in New Orleans in season for the evening mail.

On Wednesday's trip will go to Fort Jackson and Terre au Bœuf.

The rate of passage is reduced to the same as charged by all the packets running the coast.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to W H AVERY, 89 Gravier st

NEW ORLEANS & MOBILE PACKET CROLL, Regular Line Mobile Packet—For Mobile every Tuesday and Friday.—The splendid new low pressure steam packet CAROLL, Capt. Jas. D. Wilson, will leave as above, for the lake trade with superior accommodations, will leave the Pontchartrain Railroad every Tuesday and Friday, at the arrival of the 11 o'clock cars, and every Saturday, on the arrival of the 4 o'clock, P M cars. For freight or passage apply to captain on board, or to jy4 J & H GROOME, Agents, 71 commerce st

NEW ORLEANS & BALIZE PACKET. The steamer FAME, Capt Jourdan Mc Neil, will leave this port for Balize and intermediate landings, every Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock precisely. For freight or passage, apply on board or to DUDQUET & TE LALE, jy1 6t 73 Toulouse st

FOR SALE The sloop SARAH FLOYD, in perfect good order. Apply on Lake Pontchartrain Basin. jy11 1t

FOR PHILADELPHIA—Philadelphia and New Orleans Line—The ship UNITED STATES captain Dodge, will sail on Tuesday 18th inst. For freight or passage apply on board or to J M ASHBRIDGE, jy11 92 Camp st

FOR LIVERPOOL—The A 1 ship JOHN BRIGHT, Capt Michael, will receive immediate dispatch having the greater part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage, having unsurpassed accommodations, apply to W LEVI H OALE, jy11 91 Common st

PLANTATION MEDICINES.

The subscribers announce to planters and physicians, of having now on hand which can be relied on as genuine, and warranted, the following articles in addition to the stock, which is the attachments they have for years handled, for the use of the country, constant fresh supplies they will always be prepared to furnish Planters and Physicians with Medicine which they will warrant to be genuine.

SICKLES & Co, Druggists, 70 Canal st.

NOTICE

The subscribe s have this day associated with them in the Commission and Forwarding business, Mr. James L. Carman, and the business will in future be conducted under the style and name of

HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN.

A. C. L. Hartwell, Theodore Kidder, jy3

HARTWELL, KIDDER & CARMAN, *General Commission and Forwarding Merchants,* No. 44 Poydras street.

SALT—30,000 sacks coarse and fine Liverpool salt in store and for sale by jy1 GEORGE HARRISON, 67 Tchoupitoulas st

CIDER—70 bris sup. nor Northern cider, landing from ship Auburn, and for sale by jy1 GEORGE HARRISON, 67 Tchoupitoulas st

CHEESE—100 boxes goshen cheese, a prime article, in store and for sale by jy1 GEORGE HARRISON, 67 Tchoupitoulas st

GUNNY BAGS—Domestic Gunnies, medium size, for sale now to close assortment, by jy1 JOHN A BERRITT & Co, 13 Camp st

GENUINE SCOTCH ALE—London porter for sale by jy1 E TOUSSAINT & ROGERT, 70 Magazine st

HAVANA SWEETMEATS—20 boxes for sale by the jy1 subscribers VALETON BROTHERS, 57 Chartres st

BACON—20 casks middlings and shoulders, just received per steamboat Sciota Valley, for sale by jy1 J A MERRITT & Co, 83 Camp st

PLASTERING HAIR in bris and bags, just in stock, and for sale by jy1 J A MERRITT & Co, 83 Camp st

PLANTATION PORK—A few bris mess, extra quality, for sale by jy1 PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

HAMS—A few casks Wood & Wade's extra cured hams in store for sale by jy1 PRICE & FROST, 20 Poydras st

LEAD—100 pigs lead, landing from St. Julia and for sale by jy1 A L ADDISON & Co, 49 Tchoupitoulas st

CODFISH—In drums and boxes to the order, for sale by jy1 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

NAILS—Assorted sizes, 8s and 10s, for sale by jy1 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

BLEACHED SHIRTINGS—40 cases 7-8 bleached goods of Hamilton Company, for sale by jy1 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

STRAW MATTING PAPER—600 rolls superior quality, for sale by jy1 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

GOSHEN BUTTER—42 kegs prime Goshen butter, landing from ship Newark, for sale by jy1 TUPTS & HOBART, 20 Carondelet st

FLOUR—150 bris Ohio Canal Bonn. M 3's brand, landing from steamboat Rebecca, and for sale by jy1 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

MARBLE—50 feet slab marble, for sale by jy1 J W STANTON & Co, corner Magazine and Lafayette sts

SPANISH CHOCOLATE—10 cases prime Spanish chocolate, for sale by jy10 ISAAC BRIDGE, 76 Magazine st

FLOUR—100 bris superfine flour, landing from steamboat Rebecca, and for sale by jy10 HARROD, DARLING & Co, 49 Common st

BILL OF PARIS—A draft at 30 days sight, for $1000, for sale by jy10 MERLE, BEVILLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

ROPE—50 coils best Manilla rope landing from steamboat Louisiana, for sale by jy10 MERLE, BEVILLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

CAST WHEELS, of all sizes from 3 to 8 inch in bread, for sale low by jy10 D DENEGRE, No 116 Gravier st

SALT—1000 sacks coarse salt landing from ship Wabash from Liverpool, and for sale by jy6 MERLE, BEVILLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

AX—5,000 lbs superior Dearwax, landing from steamboat Missouri, for sale by jy6 MERLE, BEVILLE & Co, 45 Old Levee

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FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,

HENRY CLAY.

NEW-ORLEANS

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 11, 1843.

☞ THE MAIL failed yesterday from beyond Columbus.

The locofoco party are far from being disposed to rest upon their oars. Nothing short of the ejection from office of every man who bears the name of whig will content them. Since the late elections they have not been idle, but have begun to get ready for another campaign. The first blow they intend to strike will be for the mayoralty. They count confidentially upon beating Mr. FREDERICK in April next, and the Recorders of the Second and Third Municipalities, and revolutionizing the Councils of all three. This done, they can the more readily succeed in carrying their tickets for the Legislature and Convention, which will give them an ascendancy in every department of the government, both of the State and city, and enable them to fasten upon us just such a constitution as they think fit.

Surely there are issues to be tried soon, capable of awakening the whig party to the importance of early action and immediate preparation. It will not do to postpone organization until within a few weeks of the elections. Now is the accepted time. Let the young men who love to fight this battle begin early to exercise themselves. They should not wait the tardy movements of the veterans. They must imbibe the spirit of the age. Action is the ruling spirit of the times, and on it we must rely for our certain success. Get ready at once—waste no time needlessly. Every day and every hour is bringing us nearer and nearer to a contest of vaster interest and higher rewards than any that has yet taken place. The government of the city, the State, the United States, and the form of government under which we Louisianians live, are the mighty matters that are to be decided in one campaign.

Cadging one daily on the way sides, to indulge in ignoble ease, whilst themes like these present themselves before him! Who that has a spark of ambition, or is endowed with capacity to comprehend the vastness of the issue, does not feel his bosom thrill with anxiety to do a Templar's service in the cause. Let our young knights look to their spurs, for verily there will be occasion for all their prowess. Those locofocos have many a sturdy and stalwart warrior in their ranks with whom it will be no joke to measure swords. It is no holiday bout nor pompous pageant that we make them to participate in, and we admonish them to be unattuned to the javelin in time for the conflict.

It is well enough to say now and in season, that whoever aspires to the honor of being a whig leader in the campaign, must be ready, and willing, and able to follow the standard of our party wherever the cause needs a stout heart and a strong head. There must be no sleepers on the outposts, nor laggards in the ranks. They must be patrimonialists of bodily rest, and slaves of energy when refreshing themselves with repose. Such men there are in the whig family—they will compose the volunteer corps, to stimulate the zeal of the rest, and excite the admiration of all.

We have seen enough, since the late elections, to convince us that the next year will witness the complete recovery of the State. There will be a greater display of talent engaged upon both sides, than was ever before arrayed in opposing strength within the State. There will be more popular discussion, more argument, more political knowledge disseminated amongst the people, than heretofore. Therefore we again tell our young men to get ready. Prepare yourselves on all points that when you appear before the public, you be not taken unawares. Drink deep of the fountain source of political knowledge, and wear the declaration of independence and the creed of our faith next your hearts, for so sure as the doctrines of republican liberty, as taught by our sires, shall be maintained in the land, will that man who bears himself gallantly through the canvass, be esteemed great amongst the people.

As our friends of the *Tropic* have given formal notice, that they intend to throw a spare upon the verdure of Parnassus, not to be behind hand, we will start now, and give them a sample in the way of poesy, which we much question if they can eclipse or even approximate:

A man there was, born on the hills of Tuscan. His name is John Dawson;
Who walked up to that rume old coon,
And caught him alive with paws on.

No sooner had he got him fast,
Than all four of his legs I bound;
When up came one Slidell in great haste,
And forthwith took off his hide.

And Gen'l Bossier of the Rapides,
Who lives beyond Avoyelles—
With mind intent on bloody deeds!
Ripp'd out the old coons bowels.

Now all this done, the greedy crew
Brought Alcée Labranche from the coast;
And just because he beat Ned White a few,
He made of the old coon a roast.

They then all four sat down to dine,—
Their barrels in full blossom,—
And washed the varmint down with wine
Before they found it was a "possum."

Beat that. There may be here and there a little departure from absolute metrical exactness, as our Pegasus is not bridle-wise yet, and shied at times when he should not. Besides, these rules of versification cramp the genius. In respect to poetry, we are of Jack Kade's politics.

☞ Our friends of the *Tropic* have given notice that they intend to quit politics for the season, and devote themselves exclusively to literature, sentiment, &c. &c. Does the senator dote intend to perpetuate verses or commit matrimony? Bad as the whigs have been used up, we had hoped his despair would not take such a desperate course as either of these. As the whigs were beaten without "rhyme or reason," the *Tropic* must needs indulge awhile in versification—and a sojourn amongst the muses is apt to bring about a *softitude* of the bosom. Beware there are syrens abroad.

"Had the "big gun" been brought out on Saturday night, as we expected, the result would have been, in the phraseology of the billiard room, *cramming* on the *White.*"—*Republican.*

You *bastarded* that idea, but the *Courier* took the cue and *pocketed* the thought.

THE ELECTIONS.—We have received no further returns from any of the districts, save the official vote of Concordia, which is as follows:

James W. Elam, (whig,)	83
John B. Dawson, (democrat,)	50
Majority for Elam, (whig,)	33
In favor of a Convention,	91
Against a Convention,	28
Majority in favor of a Convention,	63

The *Intelligencer* says that no election has ever passed off with more excitement and proper interest.—We can readily believe it. The votes polled in Concordia is about one-third the full vote of the parish.

SPECIAL ELECTION IN DETROIT.—An election was held a few days ago, in the city of Detroit to fill a vacancy in the Common Council, occasioned by the resignation of Alderman Dalton, a Loco Foco, who had appropriated to his own use some City Treasury notes which he had been directed to burn. As the result of the election decided the political complexion of the Board, both parties exerted themselves to the utmost. After a spirited struggle the Whigs elected their candidate by a snug majority, and thus obtained the control of the Corporation.

NAVAL.—Lieut. T. W. Brent has been detached from the sloop of war Marion, and ordered to the Pensacola Navy Yard.

Lieut. W. Hunter has been detached from the steamer Union, to superintend the building of an iron steamer.

Lieut. L. M. Powell, lately commanding surveying brig Oregon, has been promoted to be a commander.

DAUGHTERS OF ENGLAND.—We have received from Messrs. NORMAN, STOUT & Co., through J. & H. G. Langley, publishers, copies of Mrs. ELLIS's work on the Daughters of England. It is every pretty Edition, and its typographical execution is irreproachable. Of the production itself we have already spoken.

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HYDROPHOBIA.—A young man named Sellers Hinkle, living with his mother in a cow shed near Tammany and Fourth streets, was taken ill last week with all the symptoms of hydrophobia, under which he died on Saturday evening last, in the most distressing and heartbreaking condition. He stated that about six months ago, while in the country, he was bitten by a small dog, which was killed at the time, but not certainly known then to have been in a rabid state.—*Phil. Gaz.*

AN ANAGRAM.—An ingenious friend of ours has handed us the following anagram on these words:—*Philadelphia Gazette.*

Listen Locos who will be inaugurated fourth day of March in the year eighteen hundred and forty-five.

The letters being transposed *anagrammatically*, will read as follows:

Let Tom will have HENRY CLAY. The Thunderer of the West and Guardian of the Tariff is indeed coming.

BIBLE SOCIETIES.—Since the establishment of the British and Foreign Bible Society,* in 1804, nearly twenty millions of copies of the Scriptures have been distributed; and since the institution of the "American Bible Society," in 1816, more than three millions—Of these latter, sixteen hundred and seventy-seven Bibles, and two thousand and fifty-nine Testaments have been gratuitously distributed, and nearly one thousand more have been sold from its depository. A large and beautiful edition of the Bible, printed between the years 1810 and 1813, has been published within the present year, chiefly with the funds of the American Society, and this edition has been found pronounced superior to any other edition for common use that has yet been compiled in Europe. —*Boston Transcript.*

DREADFUL ACCIDENT FROM THE USE OF SPIRIT GAS.—On Thursday evening between nine and ten o'clock, Mr. Young, a gold pencil maker, residing at No. 327 Broadway, met with an accident from the use of spirit gas, which has, we are sorry to learn, terminated fatally. Mr. Young was engaged in filling a lamp with spirit gas, when by some means the spirit came in contact with the flames of the lamp she was filling, and in an instant her garments were enveloped in flames. Her husband, who was sitting near by, ran to her assistance, but was himself severely burned in the attempt. Mr. Thompson, immediately wrapped her in a rug to extinguish the flames. The flames for a time were confined to all other parts of the body, save the face, which was entirely unscathed. Her clothes were nearly all consumed, that the fire was extinguished. She was, as near as conscious, delivered of a child, which lived but a few hours after it would have been almost miraculous. She lingered in great agony until yesterday morning, when death relieved her from her dreadful sufferings.

Mr. Young was severely burned on the body yesterday, when a verdict was rendered of accidental burning."—*Courier & Enquirer.*

SOMETHING SINGULAR.—*Wisconsin and Fox Rivers* —These rivers, near Fort Winnebago on the Wisconsin, run parallel to each other, though in different directions. The distance between each is but a mile and a quarter. The land is so low that there is not a foot of dry ground, and, what is remarkable, in high water they run into each other and thus become one. Almost every spring and summer these rivers have been connected. The flat separating them has been covered with water to the depth of four feet—some say six—the present season, or rather in the month of May last, when the water was so high in the Illinois that it overflowed the banks and found its way down the Fox river into Lake Michigan at Green Bay. A canal could be easily constructed, one mile and a quarter in length, which would make the Fox navigable for all summer boats to ascend the Illinois, and thus find its way down the Mississippi to the Gulf.

WHIG NATIONAL CONVENTION.—The States are beginning to appoint Delegates to the Whig National Convention—delegates having been appointed a Illinois, Vermont, Georgia and we believe in some districts in Ohio. In the Old Bay State, there is no dispute as to the *time* of holding their Convention, or *manner* in which it shall be organized, and we presume to add, equally harmonious and united in the Whig party with regard to their *candidate*. Mr. CLAY is the man nominated by the People, and the Convention will but adopt measures to aid in securing his election,—HENRY CLAY is the man around whom we true Democratic Whigs will rally, and by whose name we will conquer. HENRY CLAY is the man destined, we believe, to fill the Presidential Chair, and by the wisdom and patriotism of his administration, bring once more prosperity and happiness to the nation.—*Alex. Gazette.*

FILIAL AFFECTION IN THE CITIZEN.—The habitual reverence and affection of the true citizen for his country through life, and forms an indissoluble link—a social bond of the strongest kind. The duty incumbent on a man to provide for the necessities of his indigent parents is acknowledged by all. JOHN M. BIRD, of Natchez, Miss. has proved himself worthy of the name of citizen, and has discharged with manly other becoming acts of esteem. I have sometimes admired the conduct of a slave in the struggle to save his master from shipwreck, and the noble manner in which he conducted him to the patient's chair, and the feeling with which he called to his suffering, shower how deep was the gratitude in its heart for the kindness of his master. A Chinese shoemaker, who had done some work for me at Singapore, called to ask for some further encouragement. "Why," said I to him, "if you serve me well, I will recommend you to my friends." "My old mother," he replied, "is getting very old, and she will leave me ere near her." In obedience to the commands of a parent, he had given up the certain pursuit of a livelihood in a foreign country, and returned to enjoy one chance at home. The reader will no doubt be glad to hear that this man used to come, from time to time, for a stock of Testaments, to distribute among each of the passengers, and to make a proper use of them.—*Lay a Chinese as they are.*

DAUPHIN COUNTY (PA.) BANK.—The Harrisburg Intelligencer says:

"Had the "big gun" been brought out on Saturday night, as we expected, the result would have been, in the phraseology of the billiard room, *cramming* on the *White.*"—*Republican.*

You *bastarded* that idea, but the *Courier* took the cue and *pocketed* the thought.

THE ELECTIONS.—We have received no further returns from any of the districts, save the official vote of Concordia, which is as follows:

James W. Elam, (whig,)	83
John B. Dawson, (democrat,)	50
Majority for Elam, (whig,)	33
In favor of a Convention,	91
Against a Convention,	28
Majority in favor of a Convention,	63

The *Intelligencer* says that no election has ever passed off with more excitement and proper interest.—We can readily believe it. The votes polled in Concordia is about one-third the full vote of the parish.

SPECIAL ELECTION IN DETROIT.—An election was held a few days ago, in the city of Detroit to fill a vacancy in the Common Council, occasioned by the resignation of Alderman Dalton, a Loco Foco, who had appropriated to his own use some City Treasury notes which he had been directed to burn. As the result of the election decided the political complexion of the Board, both parties exerted themselves to the utmost. After a spirited struggle the Whigs elected their candidate by a snug majority, and thus obtained the control of the Corporation.

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